Hartford Meeting. A decision rendered by the board of

review of the National Trotting association makes The Eel (2:02%), now

The race in which the winner re-

mained in question until this decision. was contested by seven horses, as fol-lows: Sir R. (Murphy), The Eel (Mc-

Ewen), Don Densmore (Parker), Bran-

ham Baughman (Cox), Hal B., Jr. (Ray), Independence Boy (Rodney) and Vernon McKinney (James). The

Eel won the opening heat in 2:07%, and Sir R., according to the evidence

produced at the recent trial, was dis-

tanced. At the time of the race the

judges in the stand gave Murphy's

norse as finishing seventh. Sir R. came

out and won the second and third

heats, thus terminating the race, In each instance The Eel was second. F. W. Entricken, owner of the gray

Entricken will be made \$500 richer

by the decision, as first money was

\$1,000, while on the basis on which he

was paid at the time of the race he

received but \$500. The case is the

Many Lose Titles or Have Decisions

Rendered Against Them-Ad

Welgast Among Them. The year just closed has surely been

an unlucky one for champions, as

many of them have had the mistor-

tune to either lose their titles or have

Those who have lost their titles are

Ad Wolgast, the lightweight champion

of America; Abe Attell, the feather

weight champion of America; Georges

Carpentier, the French middleweight

champion; Matt Wells, the English

lightweight champion; Jim Sullivan,

the English middleweight champion.

and Johnny Evendon, the English wel-

The champions who have been de

feated, but still hold the title of their

respective countries are Bombardier

Wells, the English light heavyweight

champion; Jack Harrison, the English

middleweight champion; Dave Smith,

the Austrian middleweight champion,

and Digger Stanley, the English ban-

to the title, as he cannot make the

American Bowling Tourney.

nual international tournament of the

American Bowling Congress, opening

at Toledo on Washington's birthday

the Toledo Tournament company has

Jackson Asks to Be Traded.

Pioneer of Baseball Dead.

English Crews Coming Here.

Wolgast and Ritchie Again.

In preparation for the thirteenth an-

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POLITICAL TALK

leard from the Various Camps **During the Week About** Men Prominent in Politics.

What the Leaders Are Doing and What People Have to Say About Them.

Candidates' petitions for the primary of February 25, 1913, may be filed with City Clerk Connery beginning at 8:50 o'clock next Monday morning. "They will be received direct or by mail," said Mr. Connery Tuesday. "If necessary we will form three lines, so there will be as short waits as possible, one for Republicans, one for Democrats and one for the

Mayor Harrison declared on Wednesday he favored the candidacy of Alderman Ellis Geiger for re-election in the Twenty-first Ward. "I am for Alderman Geiger strong," he said. He also said he believed the Council would lose a good man if Alderman William F. Ryan of the Thirty-fourth Ward were not returned to the Councitl. 'But," he added, "that is not my ward and I have no right in that fight. The only time I enter a fight outside of my ward on the aldermanic quesis when I think the ward is going to be misrepresented if I do

A big new Republican organization has been launched. It will be called the Republican Club of Illinois. Incorporation papers were filed in

Springfield Monday. These are the trustees named: Seven years-William Lorimer, William-Hale Thompson and Frederick

Six years-Len Small, Harry B Ward and Cicero J. Lindly. Five years-Richard M. Sullivan. William J. Cooke and Joseph E. Bid

Four years-Eugene Pike, E. W Beedle, and David L. Frank. Three years - Charles Lederer, James M. Kittleman and E. J. Mager-

Two years-S. W. Latham, Harry Kolze, and John D. Robertson. One year-Eldridge Hanecy, Edwin

A. Olson and M. J. Faherty.

nue, a lawyer, was indorsed for alder-man Wednesday night by the Third financier and citizen.

Ward Democratic Club at a meeting in Dwight's Hall, 230 East 43d street.

Aldermen who retire next April: 1st ward-Michael Kenna, Dem. 2nd ward-George F. Harding, Rep. 3rd ward-A. R. Tearney, Dem. 4th ward-Joseph F. Ryan, Dem. 5th ward-P. J. Carr, Dem. 6th ward-Theodore K. Long, Rep. Sth ward—Incodors R. Long, Rep.
Sth ward—John R. Emerson, Dem.
9th ward—Chas. E. Reading, Dem.
10th ward—Frank Klaus, Dem.
11th ward—E. F. Cullerton, Dem.
12th ward—W. F. Schults, Dem. 18th ward—T. J. Ahern, Dem. 14th ward—J. H. Lawley, Rep. 16th ward—Henry Utpatel, Rep. 16th ward—Stanly H. Kuns, Dem. 17th ward-Lewis D. Sitts, Rep. 18th ward-John Brennan, Dem. 18th ward—J. P. Stewart, Rep. 19th ward—John Powers, Dem. 20th ward—D. J. Egan, Dem. 21st ward—Ellis Geiger, Dem. 22nd ward—V. J. Schaeffer, Dem. 23rd ward—Jacob A. Hey, Rep. 24th ward—August Krumhols, Dem. 25th ward—Henry D. Capitain, Rep. 26th ward—W. F. Lipps, Rep. 27th ward—J. N. Hyldahl, Dem. 28th ward—H. E. Littler, Rep. 29th ward—F. B. Janovsky, Dem. 80th ward—Michael McInerney, Dem 31st ward—J. A. Kearns, Rep. 32nd ward—H. P. Bergen, Dem. 33rd ward—Irwin R. Hasen, Rep. 34th ward-W. F. Ryan, Dem.

Anson H. Brown will be the Pro gressive candidate for alderman in the Thirty-first ward. Mr. Brown, who is one of Chicago's leading attorneys, has always taken an active part in movements that had for their object the betterment of his ward and of Chicago in general. He is a man who is qualified in every way for a seat in the City Council.

Arthur W. Fulton, who made one of the best aldermen Chicago has ever had, is the probable Progressive nominee for Superior Court Judge.

Alderman Henry D. Capitain will be renominated and re-elected by the voters of the Twenty-fifth ward. He is one of the best men in the City Council. He can be found at all times working in the interest of the people. There will be lots of big propositions coming before the next City Council and it is able, energetic and far-sighted men like Henry D. Capitain who will be needed there.

Alderman Jacob A. Hey will run for re-election on the Progressive ticket in the Twenty-third ward. He intends to make a red-hot campaign from start to finish.

The people of Chicago have nothing Thomas D. Nash, 4127 Prairie ave- but the highest respect and confidence



ALEXANDER H. REVELL. Strongly Talked of for United States Senator.





Frank Chance, Newly Signed Manager of Highlanders

command is the "dark horse" of the season. While the other managers welcome him they are willing to admit they have another. leader to compete with and believe it will be anything but a simple task. All have watched Chance's career as manager of the Cubs and wished he was one of them. Now that he is in their midst all are sitting up and starting to make preparations for the hardest struggle Ban Johnson's organisation has ever known.

This is what Johnson has been striving for since he has been at the head of the American league. It has been his plan for years to have all clubs as nearly equal as possible. Through his untiring efforts he has engineered deals by which most of the teams of his association have developed into pennant contenders. If he had his way every team would be in the first division fighting for the pennant. That Chance for the Yankees.

Johnson wanted Chance for severa reasons. First, he knew it would add to the prestige of the American league; second, he did not want base ball to lose Chance; third, he desires to have a coterie of greater managers than the National league, and fourth, he wants to make Jake Stahl, Connie York who is competent to compete same.

win the pennant. I fought him for three years with Cincinnati and know what he is capable of."

Jimmy Callahan, White Sox: "I am sure all of us have a tussle on our hands now. With that pitching staff he will make the race a keen one." Connie Mack, Philadelphia: "This is the season in which the Highland-

ers begin to be prominent factors in our struggle. Chance, I am sure, will keep us all on the nervous seat." Jake Stahl, Boston: "Chance's coming only adds another hard team for

us to trim. It certainly will make our race a dandy." Hugh Jennings, Detroit: "I know Chance and know what he can do. I matched baseball brains with him in

1907 and 1908 and lost each time. I is why he worked so hard to get am confident his coming will force us all to be on the alert." Joe Birmingham, Cleveland: never met Chance on the field, but from what I have heard of him I

know what to expect. You can bet I will keep my eye on him all the time, George Stovall St. Louis: "Chance's he wants to make Jake Stahl, Connie coming means more work for me, for Mack, Hugh Jennings, Jimmy Calla- I just nosed out the Highlanders for han, Clark Griffith and the others seventh place. From what I have

realise they will have to struggle with heard of Chance's ability I can see New York to win the flag. In addition where the Browns have to step some, he is eager to place a man in New but we will be there to try just the

ST. LOUIS IS NOT WORRYING

No Cause for Alarm About Third Base Position While Veteran Austin Remains in Good Health.

The St. Louis Browns are not wor rying about third base so long as Austin is on the job. This veteran, secured from the New York Highlanders, is capable of filling the position as long as his health remains good. He is a fair hitter and a splendid field-



Third Baseman Austin.

er. It was Austin, by the way, who laid out Pitcher C. Brown last summer on a quick throw to first. The ball hit Brown on the back of the head and things looked serious for awhile

Cleveland Releases Trio. Pitcher Gene Krapp, Catcher Jack Adams and Outfielder Art Hauger will not wear Cleveland uniforms next year. Krapp has been released to Portland, while Adams and Hauger have been turned over to Topsy Hartsel at Toledo.

Will Keep Nicholson.

Manager Harry Clarke of the Milvaukee Brewers says he will not trade "Rube" Nicholson, the tall flinger. He expects the big Norseman to be a consistent winner next season.

Breenahan After Toledo. Roger Bresnahan, it is rumored, has een dickering for the Toledo club of the American association.

Shoot Handicap at Dayton. The 1913 grand American handicap such a list as McCarty, Kilbane, Coulon and McGoorty! shoot will be held at Dayton, Ohio.

Now watch Chance grab a big chunk of McGraw's popularity in Gotham. Gotch may have to suppress Zbyszko eriodically for the sake of the poace. Chance was a splendid delayed Christmas gift for New York baseball

And now the Washington Senators are picked to finish no higher than Luther McCarty would fight Bombardier Wells. He is going right out

after the "little big" fellows. Hugh Jennings, after a time in vaudeville, has come to the conclusion that all baseball players are fizzles on

"Chick" Lathers, who had a trial with the Detroit Tigers, has been shipped to Indianapolis by the Provi dence team. Frank Donnelly, who served as as

umpire last season, has signed to man-age the Springfield club of the Three Eve league. Jim Flynn no sooner gets his black

ened eye so it looks as if it would heal than he is matched with Cyclone Johnny Thompson.

regular game enough for them but must needs add innovations have our sincere sympathy. Joe Rivers' punching powers have amazed New Yorkers, which reminds

These golf bugs who cannot find the

one of the time Aurelia Herrera landed on Benny Yanger. "There will be no room for any 'fade-aways' on my team," avers George Stovall. He has plenty of

young material on his roster. John L. Sullivan warns fighters to be on the square and Frank Gotch asks the wrestlers to do likewise These athletes found it to be profit-

President Frank of the New O leans club has been negotiating with the Providence club for the services of Jakie Atz, formerly with the White Clark Griffith has signed up Pitcher

able.

Tommy Drohan from Fall River. He gained all of his experience while with the Kewanee club of the Central league. Jack Adams, catcher of the Cleveland Naps, who has had two tryouts

with this club, has been sent to To-

ledo. He has a snappy throw, but is slow in getting it off. While there is hardly likely to ever be a fight between Packey McFarland and the present lightweight champ, what an array of titleholders there Ritchie, lightweight champion, has would be should his name be found in accepted 'Tom Jones' challenge of \$25,000 for a return engagement with

SIGNING OF CHANCE MEANS HARD BATTLE AWARD RACE TO DEAD HORSE National Board Declares The Est Victor in Free-for-All Pace at

pace at the Hartford grand circuit Officers and Committees of the Oldest meeting, September 4. It is the first instance on record of a dead horse Largest and Most Influential Democratic Organization in Chicago.

oldest, largest and most influential Lemocratic organization in Chicago. Following is a list or the men filling the principal offices and more important committeeships:

President-D. J. McMahon Secretary—Robert E. Burke. Financial Secretary — James Slattery.

Marshal—Col. Daniel Moriarity.

horse, protested the payment of the purse to Sir R., and carried the case Attorney—George F. Mulligan.
Medical Staff—Dr. Ernest Jentzsch,
Dr. Anthony Krygowski, Dr. Fred to the board of appeals. The ruling body sustained Mr. Entricken and or-Van Arsdale. dered Thomas W. Murphy, driver of Sir R., to return the purse to the Hart-Quartermaster-John G. Hoeger. Quartermaster-Michael J ford association, and they in turn

Hanley. were ordered to pay first money to Mr. Sergeant at Arms-John H. Dullard. Asst. Sergeant at Arms-Raleigh The Eel died three weeks later W. Taylor. during the Columbus meeting, and Mr.

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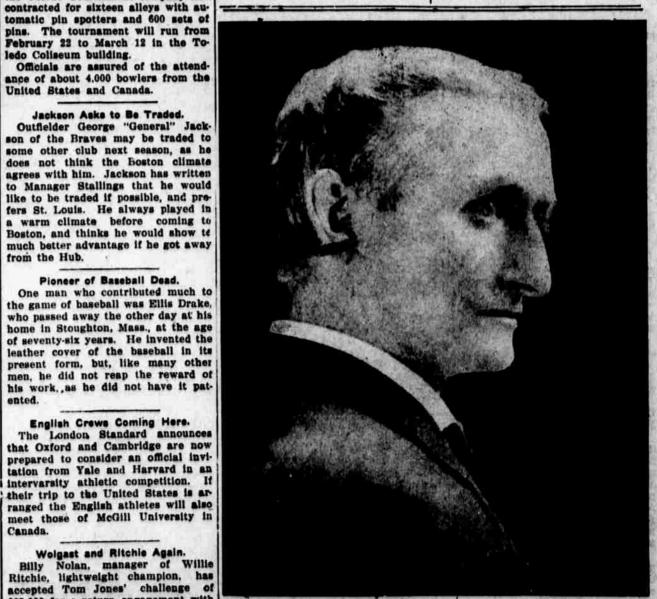
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